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In re Application of  
Robert H. Feldmeier  
Application No. 10/677,934  
Filed: October 2, 2003  
For: **ARCHIVING AND VIEWING SPORTS  
EVENTS VIA INTERNET**

DECISION ON PETITION  
TO MAKE SPECIAL

This is a decision on the petition to make special pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.102 and MPEP §708.02 (IV) (applicant's age) filed January 31, 2005.

A petition to make special under MPEP §708.02, IV, must show that petitioner is 65 years of age, or more. Acceptable evidence includes a birth certificate, copy of a driver's license, or simply a statement by the applicant. No fee is required.

The petition includes a copy of the inventor's driver's license which reflects a birth date of September 24, 1921, evidencing that the inventor is over 65 years of age.

Accordingly, the petition is **GRANTED**.

The application will retain its special status throughout its entire prosecution, including any appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences, subject only to diligent prosecution by the applicant.

The application file is being forwarded to the examination art unit for expedited prosecution.

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